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Application No. 10/606,620

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“A PHOSPHORUS-AND-NITROGEN-  
CONTAINING RESIN HARDENER AND A  
FLAME RETARDING RESIN COMPOSITION  
CONTAINING SAID HARDENER”

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Transmitted herewith is the Second Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

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| CLAIMS AS AMENDED                                |     |  |       |  |                         |             |                          |
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|  | (1) | (2)<br>CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT | (3)   | (4)<br>HIGHEST NO.<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | (5)<br>PRESENT<br>EXTRA | (6)<br>RATE | (7)<br>ADDITIONAL<br>FEE |
| TOTAL CLAIMS                                     |     | 13   | MINUS | 20   | 0                       | X \$18      | 0.00                     |
| INDEP. CLAIMS                                    |     | 1  | MINUS | 3  | 0                       | X \$84      | 0.00                     |
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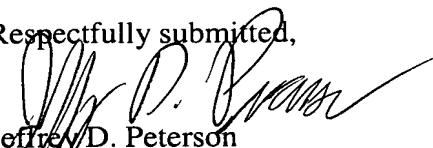
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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the subject application as follows:

**AMENDMENTS**

Please amend the claims as indicated on the listing of claims beginning on page 2.